**PATENT** 

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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

B. Jayant Baliga Serial No.: 10/657,586 Filed: September 8, 2003 Group Art Unit: 1765 Examiner: Binh X. Tran Confirmation No.: 9878

For:

METHODS OF FORMING VERTICAL POWER DEVICES HAVING DEEP AND

SHALLOW TRENCHES THEREIN

Date: November 16, 2005

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

1.	This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of ( ) month(s) to respond		
to the	Official Action date	ed September 17, 2005.	
2.	A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested:		
	is filed herewith.		
	has been filed.		
3.	Applicant:		
	Claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.		
	Does not claim small entity status.		
4.	Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)-(d)):		
	Total Months Requested	Fee For Other  Than Small Entity	Fee for Small Entity
	one month two months three months	\$120.00 \$450.00 \$1,020.00	\$60.00 \$225.00 \$510.00
	four months five months	\$1,590.00 \$2,160.00	\$795.00 \$1,080.00

Fee Enclosed \$450.00

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A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038) is enclosed.

Charge Deposit Account No. 50-0220 for any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid.

Respectfully submitted

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